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THE PRINCE SEES FORMER SECRETARY WED



Lady Patricia Ramsay leaving after the wedding.



Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Edward Grigg and his bride, the Hon. Joan Dickson-Poynder, after their wedding.



The Prince of Wales with Lady Islington, mother of the bride.
He arrived quietly, entering by a side door.



The bride wore a handsome wreath of orange blossom over a long and flowing veil;



Lord and Lady Carson were also among the distinguished gathering of guests at the church.



Left to right: Miss Angela Dudley-Ward, Miss Rosemary Grosvenor, Miss Patsy Grant, Miss Laura Charteris, Miss Virginia Brand, little bridesmaids who wore picturesque Van Dyck dresses in velvet of varying hues.



The Hon. David St. Clair-Erskine, one of the four pages, clad in wine-red velvet.

The Prince of Wales was present yesterday at the wedding of Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Edward Grigg, M.P., who was his military secretary on two of his tours, to the Hon. Joan Dick-

Poynder, only child of Lord and Lady Islington. The ceremony took place at St. Margaret's, Westminster. (Daily Mirror photographs.) See also page 8.

POISON SWEETS —MAN CHARGED.

"Attempt to Murder Sir William Horwood."

IN COURT TO-DAY.

Arrest Follows Watch on Big House at Balham.

The man detained in connection with the poisoning of General Sir William Horwood, the Commissioner of Metropolitan Police, last November, has been arrested and charged with attempted murder.

Scotland Yard issued this statement last evening, adding that the man will appear at Bow-street Police Court this morning. His name is Walter Frank Tatam, forty-two, horticulturist, of Balham High-road.

Police officers yesterday made a thorough search of the man's apartments, and took possession of correspondence and other articles.

LIVED WITH PARENTS.

Stopped by Detectives When Going to Post a Letter.

Tatam's parents have been living in Balham between thirty and forty years. They occupy a large detached house in the High-road, standing well back from the roadway and with an acre or garden to the rear.

Mr. Joseph Tatam, the father, is or was, connected with a very prosperous West End business. He and his wife are among the most popular residents in Balham.

Formerly Walter Tatam had lived alone with his parents, his two sisters having married, and both his elder and his younger brothers having left home some years ago.

All Balham folk know by sight in the neighbourhood, few could claim to know Walter Tatam intimately. He is a tall man, with grey hair, and walks with a pronounced stoop.

As one of his neighbours described him, he is a "young-old man."

Mr. Druse, a gardener, who used to be employed by the Tatams, told *The Daily Mirror* last night that Walter Tatam "used to potter about the garden."

It is understood that Tatam yesterday made another statement and was seen by Sir William Horwood.

Home Office specialists are helping in the investigation.

WATCHERS SCREENED BY CURTAINS.

It will be remembered that four parcels of poisoned sweets were sent—one to two Assistant Commissioners a week before Sir William Horwood received his; one to Sir William on November 9; a third on November 10 (both addressed to Scotland Yard), and a fourth to Sir William when he was lying ill in St. Thomas' Hospital.

They were all posted in the Balham district. Two Scotland Yard detectives were watching Tatam's home throughout Tuesday.

They concealed themselves behind curtains in a shop which commands a good view of the entrance to the house.

In the evening a man came out and, it is stated, went towards the shop to post a letter.

The detectives approached him and, after a brief conversation, had an interview with him inside the house, from which he was taken quietly in a motor-car to Scotland Yard.

Exhaustive inquiries which have been going on since November 10 as to the origin of all the materials used in the various boxes of chocolates, Seltz powders and anonymous letters sent to Scotland Yard and public offices have resulted in a great mass of evidence being gathered, which will be produced at the police court proceedings.

WHITECHAPEL CONTEST.

"Dry" Candidate Supported by Women at Nomination Ceremony.

Yesterday was nomination day in the Whitechapel parliamentary by-election.

A big crowd greeted the arrival at the town hall of Mr. S. M. Holden, the Prohibition candidate.

Mr. Holden, who was accompanied by his proposer and seconder, both women, and his agent, had only one paper.

After his nomination Mr. Holden, from the steps of the town hall, exclaimed, amid shouting and laughter: "Vote, vote, vote for me, and put me at the top of the poll."

Mr. J. D. Kiley, Liberal, who was cheered by some of the crowd, had twelve nomination papers.

Mr. Harry Gosling, the Labour candidate, was received with shouts of "Good old Harry."

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Sir John Simon, K.C., for the companies concerned, explained that it was an agreed scheme and the allocation would be between sixty-two companies.

CHEAPER GAS.

Cut Next Month of 4d. Per Thousand Cubic Feet.

"SAFER THAN COAL."

Thousands of Londoners will benefit by cheaper gas rates which are to be introduced next month by the Gas, Light and Coke Company.

The reduction is from 10d. to 9d. per therm, which means that the price per thousand cubic feet will be 3s. 10d. instead of 4s. 2d. as at present. The reduction will come into effect from the taking of the meter indexes in March.

The question of the poisonous element in gas was dealt with in an interview yesterday by Mr. D. Milne Watson, governor and managing director of the Gas, Light and Coke Company.

All gas was toxic, he said, and it was only a question of degree. By reducing the price of water gas, which is mixed with coal gas, a slightly less toxic product could be supplied but would result in a higher cost.

Fatalities from coal fires were many times more numerous than from gas, Mr. Watson pointed out. In 1919 no fewer than 992 inquests were held on children under five who had been fatally burned through accidents with fire—conflagrations excluded.

Approximately 40,000,000 people used gas, and there were 112 fatal accidents last year (often due to the carelessness of consumers themselves).

ANÆSTHETIC DEATHS.

Coroner Wants Special Investigation in Hospital Cases.

Recommendations by the coroner, Dr. Waldo, that in cases of death under anaesthetics in hospitals the actual cause of death should be ascertained by scientific investigation, and that there should be established a national scientific committee in anaesthetics under the authority of the Home Office, were endorsed by the jury at a Southwark inquest yesterday.

VISCOUNT GREY.

Invited by Liberal Peers to Lead Opposition in Lords.

Viscount Grey of Fallodon was yesterday invited by Liberal peers to accept the leadership of the Opposition in the House of Lords. The invitation was the outcome of a meeting held at the Reform Club, Earl Grey Street, at which it was unanimously decided: "That in the opinion of this meeting it is desirable that there should be a united Liberal Opposition to the present Government in the House of Lords."

This resolution was proposed by Lord Buckmaster and seconded by Viscount Wimborne.

Lord Emmott proposed and Lord Buckmaster seconded that Viscount Grey be invited to accept the leadership.

WOMEN'S RABBIT CHASE

Fugitive That Caused Wild Scramble at Coursing Meeting.

Darling in the spectators' ring at a coursing meeting at Burton Agnes (Yorks) yesterday, a rabbit caused a wild and amusing scramble among the spectators.

Several women tried to catch it and one bagged it neatly by throwing her coat over it, but it escaped. Half a dozen men then flung themselves in a heap upon it, in the manner of a Rugby scrummage, but the rabbit eluded them all.

It sought refuge beneath a "bookie's" stool and behind the ample skirts of an elderly woman, before it was killed by a boy, who took his prize home.

ACTOR RELEASED.

Ellis Island Incident Over Woman Who Was His Companion.

Mr. James Dale, the English actor, who is playing the leading part in "Loyalties" at the Gailey, New York, was released by the immigration authorities at Ellis Island after his statement had been considered, says the Central News.

The authorities charged him consequent upon his being accompanied by Miss Ada Gladys Powell, but he was able to satisfy them that their allegations were not true.

JUDGE'S ADVICE TO WIFE.

"Leave your father and mother and cleave to your husband," was Mr. Justice Horridge's advice yesterday to Mrs. Olive Josephine Clara O'Brien, of West Ealing, in dismissing her petition for a judicial separation from her husband to the Postmaster-General.

In replying Mr. Neville Chamberlain, who said the whole position would have to be carefully reviewed, said that the postcard rate had been reduced 3s. 1s. 5d. per cent. in May last, and there had been an increase of only about 6 per cent. in the postcard traffic handled.

GRIM RAIL MYSTERY

Man's Severed Arm Falls Through Carriage Window.

BODY FOUND ON LINE.

A distressing tragedy, resulting in the death of Mr. Benjamin Neville Russell, son of the managing director of Russell's Gravesend Brewery, occurred on the railway line near Gravesend on Tuesday evening.

Mr. Russell was riding in a first-class carriage on the 5.17 train from Charing Cross, which passed the 5.47 from Port Victoria between Gravesend and Higham.

While the trains were passing, an Army officer sitting in the compartment next to that occupied by Mr. Russell, was startled by the window being broken, and a human arm falling on the floor.

He at once pulled the communication cord, and the train was stopped at Higham, where the stationmaster took charge of the severed limb.

A goods engine from Hoo Junction was sent to search the line, and the driver and stoker later reported that they had discovered near Gravesend the body of Mr. Russell. An inquest will be held.

It is assumed that Mr. Russell went to sleep during the journey and only awoke after the train had passed Gravesend, where he was to have alighted. By some means the door opened and Mr. Russell fell out just as the other train was passing Denton.

Mr. Russell had been to London to attend a meeting. He was thirty-one years of age and married, and managed the brewery of which his father is managing director.

FOX IN DRAWING-ROOM.

Takes Refuge in House and Is Killed in Kitchen.

During a run of the Liangby (Monmouthshire) Hounds a fox sought refuge in the drawing-room of Mrs. Parry, whose house is near Llanbadarn.

Mrs. Parry, who was standing in the room watching the chase, immediately turned him out, and he then ran into the kitchen, where he was met by the huntsman and hounds and killed.

STEPMOTHER'S £82,567.

Wool Merchant Leaves Her the Whole of His Property.

Estate of the gross value of £82,567 was left by Mr. James William Inglis, of St. John's Wood Park, Hampstead, and St. George's Avenue, Aldermanbury, woollen merchant. He left the whole of the property to his stepmother, Annie Inglis, with the desire that she should use her discretion in giving souvenirs to friends and to his stepchild, Marion Coate.

WOMEN CONSTABLES.

Twenty for London with Same Status as Men.

Women patrols to be retained in the Metropolitan Police Force will for the present be limited to twenty, the Home Office announced last night.

The women patrols are being sworn in as constables. They will thus have exactly the same status as male members of the force. They are not expected, however, to undertake duty they may be physically unable to carry out.

The term "woman constable" will in future be used instead of "woman patrol."

FIRE NOTICE TO QUIT.

Landlord's Mad Act That Nearly Cost Five Lives.

"You might have burnt all these children to death and the woman too, all because you had a quarrel with her," said Mr. Justice Greer at Liverpool yesterday in sentencing Daniel Cooper to two years' hard labour for arson.

Cooper had shot his rooms in this house to Mrs. Mills, a widow with four children, to obtain a quiet about rent. In order to get her out of the house Cooper took a heap of newspapers, put them on the floor, poured paraffin over them, and set the heap alight.

This was during the small hours of the morning, at a time when Mrs. Mills and her four small children were in bed. The fire took hold of the kitchen dresser, sofa and chairs. Mrs. Mills was overcome by the smoke. The fire brigade had to be summoned.

LOWER POSTAGE RATE CALL.

"Lower postage rates, including the restoration of the halfpenny postcard, were the subject of a deputation yesterday from the Joint Industrial Council of the Printing and Allied Trades to the Postmaster-General.

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BABY GIVEN UP BY MOTHER.

Tale of Husband Who Said Child Was a Nuisance.

WAR NURSE IN INDIA.

Wife's Divorce Court Story of Supper Party Sequel.

How a wife parted with her first baby soon after its birth was told by her in the Divorce Court yesterday.

Mrs. Olive May Dodgson, of Kildare Gardens, Baywater, W., alleged cruelty and misconduct by her husband with Miss Ethel May Lovegrove, who intervened.

Mr. Eric Dodgson, an insurance inspector, Wallace Kyle Henney. All the parties deny the charges.

When the baby was born, it was stated, Mr. and Mrs. Dodgson advertised for someone to child-sit, and the mother had never heard of the child since. The hearing was adjourned.

GOT BABY ADOPTED.

Story of Husband Who Wished to Part With Child.

Mr. Bayford, K.C. (for the wife), said Mr. Dodgson was in India during the war, where he met his future wife, who was a war nurse. There was misconduct, and they were married in January, 1919. After a fortnight in Calcutta he returned to his regiment at Quetta, and the child was born in April of the same year.

Mr. Dodgson, said counsel, wanted his wife to get the child adopted by somebody, so they advertised, and a person was found who took the baby, and conducted no inquiry about it afterwards.

Eventually they came to England, where a second child was born in August, 1920.

The husband seemed to regard this child as a nuisance.

She went to him with the child for one night, but he ordered her out of the house.

Counsel referred to a letter from the husband in which he said, referring to the child: "As far as I can see it is going to be a bother to us. However, I suppose you will not part with it, will you?"

Mr. Dodgson said that when she and her husband stayed at a boarding-house in Pinewood-garden they made the acquaintance of Miss Lovegrove and Mr. and Mrs. Henney.

WHEN WIFE AWOKE.

On one occasion when there was a supper party at the Trocadero she found that her husband had gone home in a taxicab with Miss Lovegrove and had left her with Mr. Henney.

When she got home she found her husband in Miss Lovegrove's room.

After another supper party, continued Mrs. Dodgson, they all went to Mr. Henney's room. She fell asleep, and when she woke she found herself left alone with Mr. Henney.

Her husband was then Miss Lovegrove's man.

Referring to the time when her baby was sent to Eastbourne, Mrs. Dodgson said that just before it went her husband got into a towering rage, said he was sick of her and the baby, and if they were not careful he would shoot them.

Cross-examined on her husband's allegation that he was not the father of her last child, born in November, 1922, Mrs. Dodgson admitted that she told nobody about its forthcoming birth, not even her solicitor, though her petition was filed in May of that year.

She admitted that she used to meet Mr. Henney two or three times a week, but said she could give no particular reason.

OTHER NEWS IN BRIEF.

To-day's Weather.—Much cloud, some rain, mild. Lighting-up time, 5.44 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd George left Algeciras yesterday for England.

Mr. E. S. Montagu, ex-secretary for India, has been appointed a director of De Beers.

Striped Egg.—A hen at Castleford, Yorks, has laid an egg which is red and white striped.

London Vicar's Death.—The Rev Edward Birkley Butler, vicar, of St. John's, West Hendon, N.W., died yesterday.

Mixed Bathing.—Romford Council has decided to allow mixed bathing in the public baths two nights a week.

"Windjammer" Sink.—The Marta, a three-masted sailing vessel, sank in Swansea Bay yesterday. The crew were saved.

Unemployment Umpire.—Mr. J. G. Pease, C.B.E., has been appointed umpire under the Unemployment Insurance Scheme.

Wireless Accident.—While fitting an aerial, Dr. A. H. Fison, lecturer in physics at Guy's Hospital, Tell and was seriously hurt.

Nineteen Smallpox Cases.—Three more cases of smallpox have been notified at Clowes (Derbyshire), making nineteen in all.

Seaside Trips.—The Southern Railway state that there will be a very considerable reduction in fares for day and week-end seaside trips.

Memorial Service for Peer.—A memorial service to Lord Kinnaird will be conducted by Bishop Taylor Smith at St. Martin's-in-the Fields this afternoon.

TURKS GIVEN THREE DAYS TO ACCEPT PEACE TERMS

Lord Curzon Impresses on Ismet That No More Concessions Can Be Granted.

FRENCH RING ROUND RUHR COMPLETE TO-DAY

British Government Accepts American Terms for Repayment of £856,000,000 War Debt.

Turkey has been given until Sunday to say "Yes" or "No" to the draft of the Near East Peace Treaty, presented yesterday by the Allies at Lausanne.

Lord Curzon urged Ismet Pasha to accept, emphasising that no more concessions could be made. The delay was granted in response to a request by Ismet, who said he would do his best in the interval to secure agreement.

In British Government circles yesterday the French Note to Angora, intimating that the Treaty is not an ultimatum, was not regarded as changing the situation. No drastic action is contemplated by the Allies, even should the Turks reject the Treaty.

The British Cabinet yesterday accepted America's offer to fund the British war debt of £856,000,000 on the basis of 3 per cent. for ten years, and then 3½ per cent. for the remaining years.

NEAR EAST CRISIS CLIMAX TO BE REACHED ON SUNDAY.

Ismet's Promise: Every Means to Secure Agreement.

LAUSANNE FINALE.

LAUSANNE, Wednesday.

The Peace Treaty was presented to the Turkish delegation this morning, after a long speech by Lord Curzon, who said there was nothing in it of which the Turkish delegation had not been made fully aware.

The Italian, French and other Allied delegates also spoke, earnestly commanding the Treaty to the Turks and laying great stress on the enormous concessions which the Allies had made.

The proposals in the Treaty, said Lord Curzon, represented the very minimum which the Allies would accept. No one could describe the Treaty as either oppressive or harsh, but rather it would be described as a great effort of magnanimity and conciliation.

He hoped Ismet Pasha would not imagine that by further haggling he could succeed in upsetting the work of the Conference and starting a new conference for such a conference he (Lord Curzon) could take no part.

Ismet Pasha asked for a delay of one week for consideration of the Peace Treaty. He said he would employ in the interval every means to secure an agreement.

Lord Curzon, speaking in the name of the Allies, granted the Turks a delay until Sunday evening, and intimated that he would remain at Lausanne until next week, when he added, he hoped to shake hands on a common victory.

WHY FRENCH NOTE WAS SENT

Downing - Street Agreement That Draft Treaty Is Not Ultimatum.

In French circles, cables Reuter from Paris, there is astonishment caused by the Paris Note to Angora.

The only object of this communication, it is pointed out, is to prevent a rupture and to leave their representatives at Lausanne to continue the negotiations if Turkey proposes reasonable modifications.

The French Government has on several occasions made known to the Allies that, as far as France is concerned, the draft Treaty bears in no way the character of an ultimatum.

The French continue to hope that the Turks may be induced not to slam the door on peace. I am authoritatively informed, writes The Daily Mirror diplomatic correspondent, that the dispatch of the French Note is not regarded in British circles as bringing any particularly new factor into the situation.

The Peace Treaty, in the British view, is not in any case an ultimatum, and no decision is anticipated on the part of any of the Allies.

According to information received in London from Lausanne, the position there yesterday was certainly not more hopeless than it was on the previous day.

There is no question of France desiring any separate preferential treatment from the Turks. The desire of the French is regarded as being for peace in the Near East.

The view of the British Government is that it is in good encouraging the Turks to ask for further concessions.

MARKS NEARLY 1,000 A PENNY.

Marks are still tumbling lower. In London yesterday they were quoted at 230 to the £ (387 a penny). French francs also showed a record depreciation to 77.55.

RUHR CUSTOMS CORDON TO CUT OFF GERMAN COAL.

France Tightening Grip on Occupied Territory.

MORE "REBELS" EXPELLED.

There were signs everywhere in the Ruhr yesterday, says a Reuter message from Essen, that with the operation of the customs line which is expected to come into force to-day, the French are "putting on the screw."

An order tightening up martial law has already been issued on account of the "systematic hindrance by Imperial officials of the peaceful work of Allied engineers."

Persons in unauthorised possession of arms and ammunition are liable to penalties of five years' imprisonment and a fine of 10,000,000 marks.

A Dusseldorf message to the Exchange, via Amsterdam, says the expulsions of German officials daily become more numerous.

At Essen the president of the Railways Board and the police president have been arrested and transported under strong escort to an unknown place.

FIRST RESULT OF CORDON.

The Journal (quoted by the Exchange) says that one of the first measures agreed to by the French and Belgian governments on the outcome of the visit to Brussels of M. Le Trianon and General Weygand, was the complete cessation of all deliveries of Ruhr coal to Germany.

This will come into immediate application and will be the first notable result of the "cordon," and not the least appreciable one from the German point of view.

Whatever reserves are accumulated and what-ever imports are made in Britain, German industry cannot go on for long unaffected by the stoppage of Ruhr coal for Germany.

The Ruhr correspondent of the *Petit Parisien* telegraphs that railwaymen of Becklingenhausen, who stopped work and sent an ultimatum to the French general ordering him to withdraw his troops from the station, signal-boxes, etc., manifested a desire yesterday to resume work.

They asked for an audience of the general, who refused to grant it, saying that they must first apologise for their insolent ultimatum.

HOLD ON!

A great German newspaper gravely announces, says the *Petit Parisien*, that "a certain tendency is perceived among the French to negotiate with Berlin regarding the Ruhr."

"The wish is father to the thought" is the comment. "Let not Germany be mistaken at the silence and calmness of public opinion here. From one end of France to the other the order is the same as during the four years of war and the six months of Verdun—Hold on!"

The Deutsche *Bergwerkszeitung*, wires Reuter from Berlin, learns that Herr Stünnes has repudiated the contract for reconstruction in the devastated area of France which he concluded with M. De Lubbers some months ago.

U.S. DEBT OFFER ACCEPTED.

Cabinet Agree to America's Proposal for Repayment.

The Cabinet, after a short meeting, yesterday decided to accept America's offer in regard to the funding of Britain's war debt.

Mr. Baldwin went to America with the hope of negotiating a funding transaction on the basis of 2½ per cent. interest and repayment of principal in about sixty years.

He then offered 3 per cent.—a concession which would make a difference to British taxpayers of £4,000,000 to £5,000,000 a year.

The American Commission finally proposed 3 per cent. interest for the first ten years and thereafter 3½ per cent.



Mr. F. S. Brice, who will preside at the dinner of the Commercial Travellers' Benevolent Institution.

M. Maneyrol, the champion glider who proposes a scheme for a gliding flight from the French coast to Jersey.

MAN CHARGED: ATTEMPT TO MURDER POLICE CHIEF.

Balham Resident Accused of Sending Poisoned Sweets.

COURT APPEARANCE TO-DAY.

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IRISH SENATOR KIDNAPPED.

Rebels Warned of Punitive Action Unless He Is Set Free.

While out for a walk with his wife, Mr. John Bagwell, a member of the Irish Senate, was kidnapped by armed men.

Bagwell is general manager of the Great Northern Railway, who was not far from his residence, Howth Hill, near Dublin, was ordered into a waiting taxicab.

A proclamation issued by the general officer commanding the Dublin district states that unless Senator Bagwell is permitted to return home unharmed within forty-eight hours associative action will be taken "against several associates in this conspiracy now in custody and otherwise."

A woman with a revolver early yesterday morning held up a policeman at Trinity College, Dublin, while several other women painted inscriptions on the walls of the college relating to the hunger strike in Mountjoy Prison.

TUT-ANKH AMEN'S WREATH.

Flowers, Vase and Drinking Vessel Removed from Tomb.

More relics were removed from Tut-ankh Amen's tomb yesterday, says a Reuter Luxor message.

Mr. Howard Carter was on the scene at nine o'clock, when the wooden portcullis was removed and the iron door beyond unlocked. Later a white-turbaned headman of the diggers appeared reverently bearing a white wooden

On it, carefully embedded in cotton wool in three partitions lay a wreath of flowers, a tall plain alabaster vase, and a drinking vessel of red clay, very graceful in shape, with a spout like a modern teapot, somewhat suggesting in style and colour a Roman drinking vessel.

SAVING THE POOR MAN'S DOG.

The Canine Defence League is still receiving applications from poor dog-owners who are unable to find the money themselves, for assistance in retaining their pets. The applications are for the sum of a hundred pounds.

Up to date, in London and the provinces, the society has issued 4,000 licences, in addition to which many of its members have themselves assisted poor owners.

THE PRINCE A GUEST

AT M.P.'S WEDDING.

Ivory Bridal Train of Hon. Joan Dickson-Poynder.

CRUSH OF CELEBRITIES.

Little Maids and Pages in Van Dyck Costumes.

The Prince of Wales' presence at the wedding of his former military secretary, Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Edward Grigg, M.P., and the Hon. Joan Dickson-Poynder made St. Margaret's, Westminster, the centre of fashionable London yesterday.

Not since the marriage there of Lord and Lady Louis Mountbatten has such a crowd filled the church. Well-known people seemed to have returned to London from every quarter of the globe for this wedding with its picturesque atmosphere and beautiful bride.

Miss Dickson-Poynder, who is the only child of Lord and Lady Islington, had a medieval gown of ivory chiffon velvet, long and full as to skirt, and tight in the bodice, with long, slim sleeves.

Farther down the aisle, ivory bands on the shoulders was a train of ivory velvet embossed on a glistening silver background.

The bride had a thick wreath of orange blossom over a long tulle veil and carried a posy of real orange blossoms grown in England.

"LOST" BRIDESMAID.

Her attendants were all children, four pages and six little girls in Van Dyck costumes based on those worn by the Balbi children in the famous National Gallery picture.

Made in varied hues, the costumes were of thick velvet with high-standing gold lace collars and elaborate braiding on sleeves and bodices.

Two long garlands of real crimson roses were held by the smaller children, while two taller pages walked beside the bride's train carrying their plumed velvet hats.

Each of the bridesmaids distributed from low round baskets favours of myrtle tied with silver ribbon, one small maid getting quite lost in the vast crowd.

The aisle and chancel were decorated with laurel trees in tubs, from which were suspended imitation oranges, and the altar was adorned with Madonna lilies.

GUIDES AS GUARD.

Girl guides and boy scouts were lined up at the back of the church—a reminder of the excellent organisation work which the bride did for them.

Admiral Sir Lionel Halsey accompanied the Prince of Wales, who sat in the front seat on the right hand side of the church. After the ceremony the Prince signed the register.

The Mayor and Mayoress of Oldham were present, as well as councillors and other officials from the bridegroom's constituency.

Lady Islington, who wore a dress and brocade vest of light golden brown, with a hat of draped brown satin, held the reception for intimate friends after the ceremony at 20, Portman-square.

The hundreds of guests present included Lady Patricia Ramsay, the Spanish Ambassador and Mme. Merry del Val, the Rumanian and Polish Ministers; Earl and Countess Beatty, Sir George Younger, Lord Buckmaster, Viscount Curzon, Sir John and Lady Simon, Lord and Lady Carson, Mr. and Mrs. Asquith, the Duke and Duchess of Rutland, Lady Tree, Lady Arlington and the Hon. Lois Sturt.

BABIES IN BATH VERDICT.

Witness Breaks Down at Inquest—Disabled Soldier Praised.

A verdict of Wilful Murder against Mrs. Rosa Grace Ellison, of Teddington, who drowned her three babies in a bath, was returned at yesterday's inquest on the children, the jury expressing the opinion that she was temporarily insane.

Mrs. Pipe, mother of Mrs. Ellison, broke down in describing what happened when she called at her daughter's on Friday.

When her daughter opened the door she said: "Mummy, I have killed the babies." Witness then called in the neighbours.

The coroner and jury said it was a pity the mother did not go in at once, for she might have been able to save the lives of the children. They realised how terrible the situation must be.

The coroner strongly recommended Mr. Wiloughby Thomas Russell, a disabled soldier, for his presence of mind in calling in medical aid and himself doing all he could to revive the babies.

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Why the Doctor says VIROL

A leading Medical Consultant says :—



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MARBLE HALLS.

WHY is it that expert architects are not trained in the science of *acoustics*? Why is it nearly always so difficult to hear, or to be heard, in any public building?

The question arises whenever we get some great Hall or Court opened with a flourish of congratulation.

Everything is pronounced good. The pillars are rare marble. The floors gleam, for the opening day, under the ministrations of a thousand charwomen. The building is occasionally even beautiful—though too often it looks like a construction of children's bricks piled up haphazard on the nursery table. But, however that may be, one thing is nearly always forgotten—the sounding capacity of the marble halls so expensively provided by our citizens.

When the new Old Bailey opened, Judges and barbers complained of the odd echoes and mocking murmurs that drowned legal voices. The new L.C.C. County Hall is evidently worse still. Either the sound prolongs itself in waves, or all utterance gets lost in the air.

Will nobody present a manual on the Laws of Sound to our official architects and designers before they begin to build the next Communal Palace for public business?

PUSSYFOOT'S WAY.

THE attitude of certain temperance enthusiasts, in regard to the improvement and "brightening" of public-houses in our big cities, is well illustrated by the protest a party of them have recently made against "listening in," as a non-alcoholic innovation for bars and places where men drink.

We have often asked why we don't have cafés instead of the murky "pub."

One of the answers is that the "pussy-foot" element do not want public-houses to look and to be more civilised.

They are afraid that they would, in that case, become more popular; just as they object to "listening in" because a wireless installation might tempt "young folk" into bars.

It is a strangely retrograde policy which apparently seeks to degrade "places of refreshment," so that only the degraded may frequent them.

ALFRED.

FROM America comes the first apparently authentic report of a *spirit* divorce case—a case in which a husband was driven from his wife by her stories of messages received from an amiable "ghost" named Alfred.

We have long anticipated some such result of interferences from the other side.

These "messages" may well affect the economy—the domestic economy—of this world. And, in the case quoted, "Alfred" appears to have been aggressive.

He went so far as to allow his wish—or hers—to be father to his—or was it he?—thought. He prophesied the death of her husband.

We are afraid spirits ought to be more discreet. The Alfreds of the other side must learn to content themselves with the usual remarks about their own comfort and happiness. They must not enlarge on the unhappiness of other people—particularly of wives still living with their husbands not yet dead.

W. M.

A THOUGHT FOR TO-DAY.

The best preservative to keep the mind in health is the faithful admonition of a friend.—*Bacon.*

THROUGH "THE MIRROR."

Prayer Book Reform—Were You Bullied at School?—Cyclist and Pedestrian—The Masked Ball.

BULLYING AT SCHOOL.

PERSONALLY, I think a certain amount of bullying is good for the average boy. It helps him to go through life and to meet its many disappointments cheerfully.

When I was at school I was often "ragged" (as they called it) by the older boys, yet I took it all in the right spirit.

It is the sensitive boy who gets more bullying because he will know it too obviously. He will sulk for days. In consequence he is the victim of many attacks.

Such a boy should try to hide his feelings, and he would find that the prefects and others would not be so fond of "ragging" him.

AN OLD SCHOOLBOY.

THERE was no regular organised bullying when I was at school but certainly the younger boys were more or less at the mercy of

ROAD PERILS.

I DO not agree with "P. V. W." The pedestrian has in law the first right to the use of the road and if he prefers to walk in the roadway following the line of traffic it is the duty of cyclists to pass him on the right—not to ring his bell and knock him down, as "P. V. W." evidently would like to do.

CHANGING THE PRAYER BOOK.

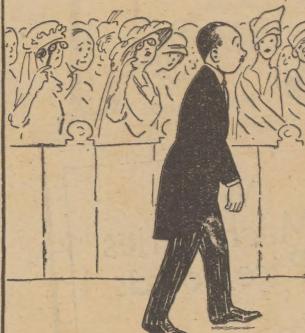
IT seems to me a pity that the modernists of 1923 should see fit to alter the wording and expression of the Psalms of David.

He was, we believe, a man who loved his God and expressed that love in his Psalms, the wording of which is beautiful, if they are read by one who seeks to find them so, and not by one whose aim is to write them because they think them too revengeful.

Alterations will make it hard for the children

SHOULD MODERN WEDDINGS BE REFORMED?

FEW MEN WILLINGLY MAKE A SHOW OF THEMSELVES



MOREOVER THE BRIDEGROOM KNOWS THE SORT OF THINGS BEING SAID ABOUT HIM



IF THE BRIDE ELECTS TO HAVE A MEDIEVAL WEDDING, HE IS HOPELESSLY OUT OF THE PICTURE



WHY NOT LET HIM BE CONCEALED WHERE HE CAN YET TAKE HIS PART IN THE CEREMONY



Often the bridegroom feels miserably out of it. Could he not be concealed somewhere?

the prefects who were appointed to enforce discipline. And certainly, when I first went to school, one or two of the prefects were very undesirable people.

It seems to me that it would be very difficult, however, for the masters to keep such a close watch upon all the boys that it would be absolutely impossible for any bullying to go on.

Perhaps, for this reason, it would be better for a very delicate or sensitive boy not to go to a public school.

WYKEHAMIST.

THE PREFECT'S DUTIES. PREFECTS definitely function in a useful capacity.

They bridge the gap, too often apparent, between the masters and the fags. They can bring home, and very often do, to the housemaster the point of view of their smaller brethren, and can point out to their fellows the underlying motives and wisdom of an edict issued by the head master.

As prefects they begin to see the sterling qualities of their masters; they begin to see in them friends and counsellors, and often there begins a good fellowship which lingers on and is maintained in after years.

The prefect learns restraint in word and deed, for it is on such restraint that his authority is founded; he is given authority to wield the cane—and this he does good-humouredly and without malice.

Occasions are few and far between when he finds a boy bullying another.

EX-PREFECT.

of to-day to be taught that Scripture does not change. A dangerous precedent is created thereby, and an excuse provided for altering in the future any part of God's word that does not appeal for merely temporary reasons.

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MASKS AND FACES.

"HARLEQUIN" forgets that masks are terribly hot, and in these days of strenuous dancing and not mere "walking about" they soon become unbearable.

If they are taken off after a time an otherwise charming face is revealed in a perfectly horrid state—red, shiny and damp.

COLUMBINE.

IN MY GARDEN.

JAN. 31.—Although the beautiful poppy anemones are generally planted during the autumn, if a succession of these flowers is desired more roots may be planted in February. Choose a bed of fairly rich, well-drained soil in a position sheltered from the midday sun. The roots should be planted three inches deep and about four inches apart.

There are many lovely varieties to choose from. The giant French (Caen) anemone produces large single flowers in many fine shades of colour. Then there are the coronaria varieties (double poppy) and the semi-double St. Brigid sorts. Fulgens (the scarlet windflower of the Pyrenees) should be grouped in sunny corners.

E. F. T.

WHY WE DREAD THE "AWFUL EXAMPLE."

PEOPLE WHO STIMULATE US TO WORK HARD.

By JAMES CLIFFORD.

HAVE you an "awful example"—a person whose vision rises up before you in the dark hours of the night, when your business seems to be going utterly to pieces and you are sure you can never pay your debts?

I have, and in my more pessimistic moments I am terrified by the conviction that I am going to be like him if I don't work harder and do better.

He is a mild, scant-haired, cow-eyed little man who sneaks along with silent apologetic step and comes into my office to sell me cigarettes.

He is most deferential, obsequious, servile. Sometimes I see him, with his shapeless, shabby bag, at the foot of the stairs counting up his stock. He makes me feel that he is on the verge of penury, that he has lost all hope. And I dislike him.

Because in him I see what may happen to me when I can no longer please editors.

My last resource—an itinerant vendor of cigarettes in offices! It chills me with fear.

But I am not the only victim of the "awful example."

I know a woman novelist who confesses that she has a vision of a seaside boarding-house-keeper in whose pension she stayed when a girl.

ALWAYS POLITE.

Some day (this woman writer fears) her imagination will fail her; her now ample income will dwindle; there will be nothing left for her but to become like the "awful example" and keep a seaside boarding-house and dwell in a beetle-ridden basement and an atmosphere of lukewarm grease and stale cabbage.

Site says the prospect makes her work like fury.

Then there is a lawyer I know; a man of motor-cars and decent shooting.

His "awful example" is a brother lawyer's clerk, a little old man with a set smile and timid manner.

My legal friend says that often, just before dawn, he has seen himself like that clerk, going into offices in which he has been received with ceremony, and waiting, ever so patiently, until it is convenient for him to be seen; smiling and saying, "It doesn't matter," when he learns that he has been forgotten and the man he came to see has gone out half an hour before.

Always being polite; never daring to offend. Forgotten—a failure!

I think most people have their "awful examples," but they won't talk about them. The subject is too full of bitter possibility.

My cringing "Yes, sir, to sir," man for instance. When he looks at me with his mild, nervous eyes, what is he thinking about?

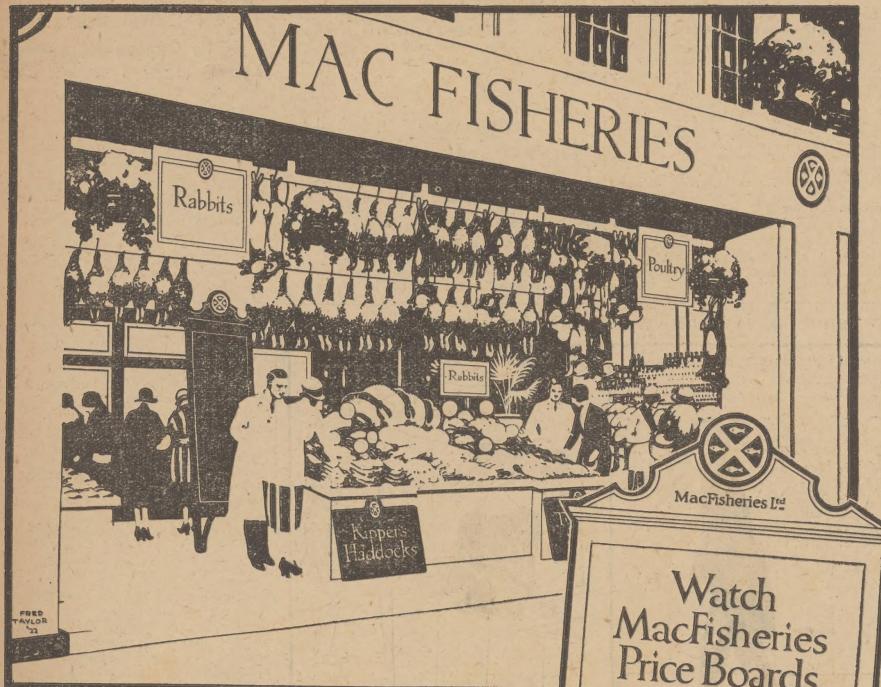
Is he enduring scalding regret and shame at the thought of what he is and what he might have been? Or is he—he is looking at me and saying to himself: "I'd better buck up and get some more business or I may become like this poor, wretched journalist fellow, and have to get out of the tobacco trade and earn a degrading living as a scribbler?" Suppose I'm his "awful example"!

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THE WREN CELEBRATIONS

R.A. Banquet Surprise—Women as Men—Paris Carnival Queens.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR CELEBRATING the bi-centenary of Sir Christopher Wren, who died in February, 1723, have now been completed by the Royal Institute of British Architects. There is to be an exhibition of Wren relics from all over the country. Scientists, as well as architects, are interested in this celebration, for Wren was a great astronomer. It is sometimes forgotten that he was Professor of Astronomy, both at Gresham College, London, and at Oxford, and that he initiated important barometric experiments.

Royal Wedding Gifts.

The Hon. Joan Dickson-Poynder and Sir Edward Grigg both received an immense number of wedding presents. Royal gifts to the bridegroom came from the King and Queen, who sent enamelled links, and the Prince of Wales, whose present was a large silver cigarette box. The bride's parents, Lord and Lady Islington, gave beautiful jewellery, including some fine rubies and diamonds. Sir Edward's principal present to his bride was a handsome diamond wrist watch.

The Social Round:

The Hon. Mrs. Gideon Murray, who has children of her own, is going to act as chaperon to the daughter of her sister, Mrs. Balfour, this season, and will take about Miss Islay Balfour, in consequence of which she has given up a good many of her committees and so forth, so as to be able to devote all her activities to the social round!

To the Riviera.

Among those who are contemplating visits to the Riviera in the near future are the Countess of Wilton, the Hon. Mrs. Roland Cubitt, and the Countess of Portarlington, all of whom have been busy having suitable garments designed for them by Sydal, otherwise Mrs. Frank Bellville—who, incidentally, was a dinner hostess at her house in Manchester-square a few nights ago to Viscountess Maidstone, Mrs. Ralph Peto, Lady Cunard, and Mrs. Dudley Coats.

Lord Felixstowe?

Captain Pretymen, who, it is thought, will be offered a peerage, married an elder sister of the Duchess of Buccleuch. She bears a very strong likeness to her. They are, of course, first cousins to Lord Lascelles, and their younger sister is Lady Sefton. The Pretymens live at Orwell Park, near Ipswich, and Captain Pretymen has property at Felixstowe, which he inherited from his uncle, Colonel Tomline.

Big Game Hunter.

Lady Sefton is an enthusiastic big game hunter, but she is so fragile-looking that it is difficult to associate her with this sport. Her other hobby is coursing. This is a favourite pastime also of her husband, and of her son, popular Lord Molynieux, of the "Blues."

Earl's Daughter.

One of the most important of the 1923 debutantes will be Lord and Lady Crawford and Balcarres' second daughter, Lady Anne Lindsay, for whom there will be entertaining at the Lindsay town residence, as there was when Lady Margaret Lindsay, the eldest of their six girls, made her debut.

Her Namesake.

Lady Anne, now in her nineteenth year, bears a favourite Lindsay name. The Countess of Crawford, writer of "Auld Robin Gray" was one of the family—Lady Anne Lindsay, later Barnard. This Lady Anne left some wonderful MS. books, full of notes about her times and people, but left a request that they should never be published.



TO-DAY'S GOSSIP

News and Views About Men, Women and Affairs in General

Lord de Ramsey.

Lady Guernsey has gone on a trip to India, and Lady Esme Gordon-Lennox is looking after her father in the meantime. Lord de Ramsey is almost totally blind, and his two daughters make their headquarters, when in London, at his house in Belgrave-square.

No More Queens!

Paris is to have no more carnival queens. They are now to be called "bees," and instead of being chosen for their beauty the criterions are their record for well-doing and for their industry. The elections are now taking place in the different quarters of the gay city, and the successful candidates are mostly those who have struggled against adversity in maintaining relatives. There is a substantial dowry for every "bee," while the "queen bee" will receive a rich reward.

Blayds.

Referring to my recent note here about Blayds, a correspondent tells me the real reason of his being sent down from Oxford. It is an interesting story, but not for general consumption. Suffice it to say that at their final interview the Master said: "Mr. Blayds, you're too sharp. You must cut." To Blayds is also attributed the story of showing some friends round Balliol and pointing out the Dean's window. Throwing some gravel up and bringing an angry gentleman to the window, he said, "And that's the Dean!"

Labour of Love.

There is a private view to-day of an interesting exhibition at the Grosvenor Galleries, which contains a number of Professor Rothenstein's crayon portraits and a collection of Sir John Lavery's landscapes. The great portrait painter does not often bother with landscape work—he is too busy—but with Lavery, like Sargent, has never neglected the side of Art which he most enjoys. His holidays are always sketching tours.



Professor Rothenstein.

well-known people. In the present collection there is Dean Inge, "Bob" Cecil, Augustus John, H. G. Wells, Lutyens, G. K. Chesterton, Tagore, Gordon Craig, W. H. Davies and Compton Mackenzie.

Airship Engineer's Appointment.

Mr. John Denham Shotter, A.F.C., of Harleston, who was engineer officer at Pulham Airship Station, is leaving England next week for Shanghai, where he is taking an engineering post. Mr. Shotter was the engineer officer under Major G. H. Scott, C.B.E., A.F.C., on airship R34 when she made her memorable double Atlantic crossing in July, 1919.

Pupil of Ruskin.

Mr. Selwyn Image, who lectured on the arts and crafts movement at the Royal Academy yesterday, was at one time a clergyman of the Church of England, and held two London curacies. His interest in art dates from his Oxford days, when as an undergraduate he joined the first class held by Ruskin as the first Slade Professor—a position he was himself to occupy later.

Ireland Coming to Town.

An important event in the business world is the announcement that the Irish Free State Government will take an official part in *The Daily Mirror* International Fashion Fair. In happier days Irish homespun, soaps and perfumes were popular and familiar in the English market. Recent years have robbed Ireland of the possibility of showing her wares in the markets of the world, but this Irish exhibit will not be the least of those unique sections which will draw all London to the Fair.

Walking-Stick Fashion.

The fashion for girls to use walking-sticks on smart occasions is not confined (says a correspondent) to the Riviera; for at a fashionable wedding in London recently one of the young guests carried an elegant ebony stick in her hand. A monocle fixed in her eye added to the jauntiness of her appearance.

Male Impersonators.

Another story of a woman successfully masquerading as a man is now receiving publicity. There are, of course, many such stories, quite well authenticated, and both the Army and the Navy have produced their share of them. A certain Mrs. Welsh, for instance, fought and was wounded at Ramillies. Her sex was discovered in hospital. She recovered from her wound and became the regimental cook.

Naval Heroine.

The naval heroine was Mary Anne Talbot, believed to have been a daughter of Lord William Talbot, Steward of his Majesty's Household. She saw service, as a powder monkey, under Lord Howe, in the famous battle of the First of June. Subsequently she became an actress, and was entrusted with the role of Juliet at Covent Garden.

Most Famous Case.

The most famous case of all, however, is that of Dr. James Barry, whose name may be found at the head of the list of Inspectors-General of Hospitals. The death of Dr. Barry occurred in July of that year, and on the following day it was officially reported to the Horse Guards that the doctor was a woman.

Fought a Duel.

Dr. Barry's professional career had extended over half a century. Among other achievements she had fought a duel at the Cape with Sir Josiah Cloete. She is believed to have been the legitimate granddaughter of a Scottish earl and to have adopted the medical profession in consequence of a love affair with an army surgeon.

Month of Dinners.

February is a month that has but few friends. The late G. W. E. Russell, however, confessed a preference for it. And for this reason: "February," he wrote, "is pre-eminently a month of dinners, if for no other reason, because it brings Parliament together, and 'Parliament men' are notoriously fond of dining."



Mr. Clare Vyner, whose engagement to Lady Doris Gordon-Lennox was recently announced.



Major Sir V. A. F. Mackenzie, Bart., D.S.O., appointed to be Commandant of the Guards' Depot.

The R.A. Banquet.

Mrs. Swynnerton's election as the first woman Associate of the Royal Academy has given rise to a hope that at the next banquet the R.A. women will be present. But Sir Aston Webb tells me no; and for a very simple reason. It would mean doubling the number of the diners, and they have not room enough at Burlington House to accommodate so many.

Politics in Richmond.

One of the revelations of the last General Election was the discovery that in most constituencies the old political organisations are either dying or dead. In order to revive political life in Richmond, I hear that Mr. Harry Becker, M.P., has decided to create a new organisation to be called the Richmond Constitutional Club. A new Constitutional Club is also talked of.

Civil Servants' Expenses.

I am told that the Treasury is contemplating the introduction of drastic reductions in Civil Servants' travelling allowances. Practically all grades will in future be paid third-class expenses when travelling by rail on official business. The subsistence allowances are also, I understand, to be reduced.

Another American Play.

Matheson Lang has acquired a new comedy by Porter Emerson Browne, entitled "The Bad Man." Mr. Browne was formerly a novelist and now writes novels, which are bought in large numbers in America. "The Bad Man" was done in New York by Holbrook Blinn.

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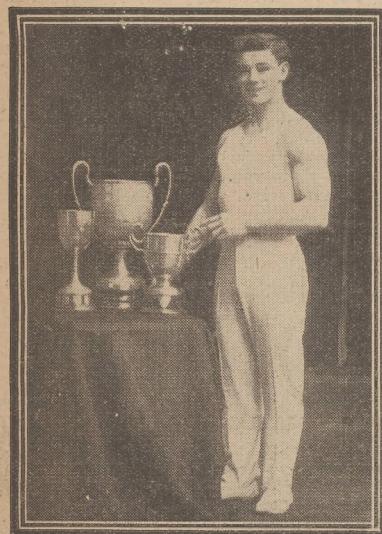
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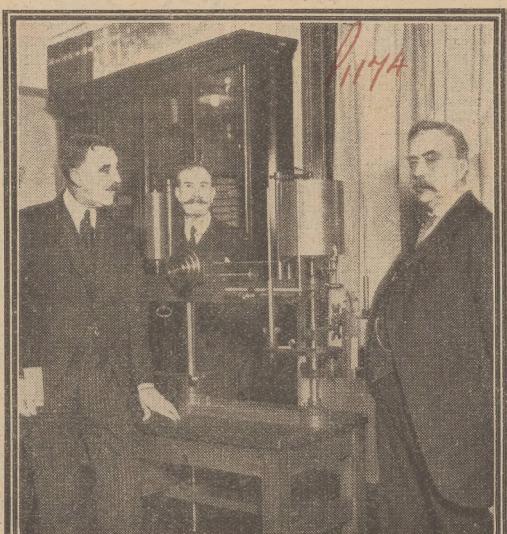
Berigate, which dead-heated with Catamaran, leading from Arravale (third) in the Mole Steeplechase.



Fairray and Another Attraction jumping together in the Prince Albert Hurdle
The chance to watch the form of Arravale, the Grand National favourite, proved a greater attraction than hunting for many hunting people at Sandown yesterday.



TRIPLE HONOURS.—Mr. Stanley Leigh, who has the distinction of being the holder of the English, Welsh and Swansea amateur gymnastic championships, photographed with his trophies.



MEASURING HEART-BEATS.—Left: Sir Arthur Griffith-Boscawen examining a machine that records heart and pulse beats, after the opening of the Maudsley Mental Hospital at Denmark Hill.

BEAUTIFUL BRIDE IN



Miss Virginia Brand, a charming bridesmaid, was a little tired afterwards.



Senator John Bagwell, who was taken away by armed men from his house at Hill of Howth, eight miles from Dublin.



SPARING THE CARPET.—Cigarettes that burn with an ash that does not "scatter" have been devised by Professor A. M. Low, who blends asbestos with the tobacco. The ash will even bend.



Hon. Jacob Astor, a page.



Hon. Joan



The bride and bridegroom

Crowds of well-known people returned to London Grigg. The beautiful bride wore a n

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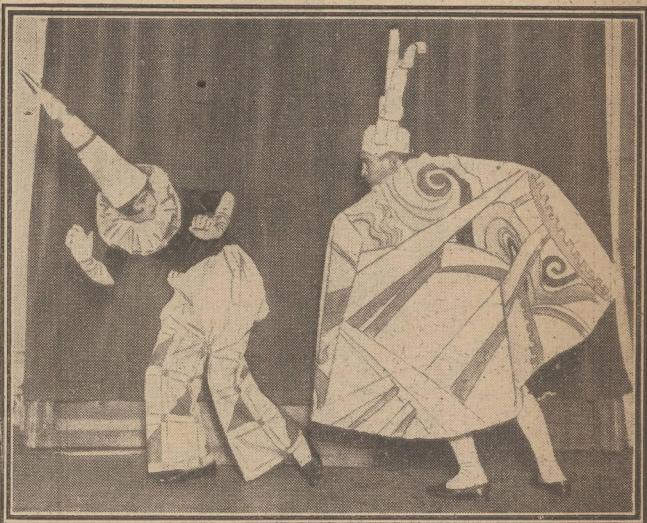


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y chiffon velvet.—(Daily Mirror photographs.)

LAW COURTS ELECTION RECOUNT

The Hon. Maurice Baring, Master Julian Asquith and Lady Horner.
P 2298Master Jelf (extreme left) presiding over the recount continued yesterday in the Law Courts of the votes polled in North-East Derbyshire. The return of the Labour member, Mr. F. Lee, is disputed.
P 21644William Ross, a brass-moulder, of Newcastle, who was fatally injured by an explosion in the fire at his home.
P 91644GRIM RAIL MYSTERY.—Mr. Benjamin Neville Russell, who was found dead on the railway near Gravesend. He is believed to have fallen from a train, and a severed arm fell into another carriage of the train.
P 91644A Human Folly fleeing from an Attendant of the Great North Wind. An item to be contributed to the Chelsea Arts Ball on February 7.
P 2008PEER'S HEIR WEDS.—The Hon. Henry Astell Law, M.C., only son of Lord Ellenborough, with his bride, Miss Helen Lovatt, after their wedding at St. Mary's, North Mimms, Hertfordshire.
P 21622CARNIVAL COSTUMES.—Miss Dorothy Dickson, the actress, in the costume she is to wear at the Punch-and-Judy Ball at the Savoy Hotel to-day.
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PIP, SQUEAK AND WILFRED

A Happy Family of Pets Whose Comical Adventures Are Famous Throughout the World

ATTICS.

Daily Mirror Office.

MY DEAR BOYS AND GIRLS,—Are you fond of attics? There is no place in the house, I think, that is more interesting to "explore"—especially if it is the attic of an old house. Usually you go in through a trap-door and as you peep in at the dark, rather ghostly-looking room, you need a lot of courage to go on. However, once inside—standing on the dusty rafters perhaps—what a mysterious place it is, how curious the shadows seem in the dark corners, what funny gurgling noises there

shapes! And the funny noises (which you know come from the cistern) are nevertheless very disturbing.

Once, however, you have regained your courage what a fascinating place an attic is! You are in a wonderful world of your own and all sorts of glorious games can be devised.

Your affectionate Uncle Dick.

A FUNNY CONVERSATION.

What I Overheard in the Toolshed.

NOW you can believe this or you can believe it not, just as you please; but I am going to tell it to you! I happened to overhear a most remarkable conversation yesterday while I was in a toolshed, where all sorts of old broken furniture and crockery are kept. This is what all the different things said:—

"I'm as straight as a die," said the gimlet vainly.

"You're an awful bore, you mean!" replied the clock rudely.

"I'm not so ashamed of myself that I have to keep my hands in front of my face all day, as you do!" retorted the gimlet.

"Well, I feel thoroughly run down," complained the clock. "All day long I work—I even work when I'm on strike."

"Now he's properly wound up!" jeered the gimlet. "He'll go on speaking for ever!"

"Why are you two always squabbling?" put in the plane gently. "Can't I smooth things down for you?"

"A lot they have to grumble at," growled the chair.

"Look at me—I'm always being sat on and pulled by the other day I was carried off!"

"We shall live in stirring times!" said the spoon; but the knife gave him such a cutting look that he turned quite rusty.

Just then the matches chimed in. "The light of our life has gone out!" they exclaimed. "We have all been fired, and so we shall go on strike!"

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SQUEAK'S FELLOW PASSENGER.  
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I HAVE just had a letter from a nephew who probably travelled from Africa with Squeak three years ago!

He signs himself "Yours truly and hopefully," J.G. Stewart, giving me what he says in the P.S. to his letter:

You state that Squeak came over from South Africa just over three years ago. I came over with my father, mother and sister in 1919, on R.M.S. Saxon. There were a lot of penguins on board, some of which, I believe, were intended for the Regent's Park Zoo.

"Do you think Squeak was one of them?"

Very probably. Squeak came over when she was young and charming, in the company of some of her sister, brother, cousins, uncles and aunts. I happened to exchange a few words with her at the Zoo, and, thinking what an excellent pet she would make, I bought her. She was saying, "Hullo, duckie!" to a baby when I found her!

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### A FOREST OF RIDDLES.

HERE is a whole "forest" of good riddles. Each is good for a laugh.

What tree is important in history?—Date.

What does a carpenter use?—Plane.

What tree is on your hands?—Palm.

What is another word for grieve?—Pine.

What tree does a stern schoolmaster use?—The birch.

What is the neatest tree in the forest?—The spruce.

What is the most venerable tree?—Elder.

What sticks?—Gum.

What can you pack your clothes in?—Box.

Although it is only one there must be two. What tree can that be?—Pine (pair).

What tree will be left when the whole forest of riddles has been burnt down?—The ash.

## HOW TO GET RID OF CATARRH.

A. Simp'e, Safe, Inexpensive Method that Clears Out the Head, Nose and Throat.

There is no disease more offensive or disagreeable or no disease that will lead to as much suffering as catarrh. You can now get rid of it by a simple, safe, pleasant home remedy discovered by Dr. Blasser (U.S.A.), a catarrh specialist.

Dr. Blasser's Remedy is composed of rhododendron, violets, flowers and berries, which you smoke in a dainty pipe or cigarette. The smoke-vapour is inhaled into the air passages of the head, throat, and lungs, and carries medicine where sprays, douches, and salves cannot possibly reach. It is entirely healing and painless, and is entirely harmless. It contains no cubebas or tobacco, and may be used by women, children as well as men. If you suffer from catarrh and carry on business it subject to frequent colds, you should try Dr. Blasser's Remedy, which may be had at any chemist shop; or



## THRILLS OF "EXPLORING" AUNT FANNY'S ATTIC.



1. Yesterday afternoon the pets decided to "explore" the attic of Aunt Fanny's house.



2. Pip went up the ladder first, while Squeak helped Wilfred up the steps.



3. Once inside the attic, however, the pets began to feel just the least bit afraid.



4. The cistern made such funny noises and everywhere there were mysterious shadows.



5. Suddenly there was a screech, and an owl flew out of the window!



6. Pip, Squeak and Wilfred hurried downstairs as fast as their legs could carry them.

are coming from that big tank near the roof!

It is far better and far more comforting to have at least one friend with you when you start exploring an attic; otherwise—and it has happened to me—your courage may suddenly desert you and there's nothing for it but to rush off panic-stricken to the safety and security of the rooms downstairs!

Of course, there's nothing really to be afraid about; old coats and faded dresses do look rather life-like in a dim light and certain shadows always will take on the queerest

## "RUN DOWN" MEN AND WOMEN NEED

# Dr. Williams' Pink Pills

They give New Vitality—and more.

The expression "run-down" comes from the feeble action of an unwell clock, and the comparison is a good one. Applied to health, it means a condition in which all the bodily functions are enfeebled. Appetite fails, the digestion is impaired, the nerves are impoverished, the complexion becomes pale, there is no animation, but rather worry and mental depression. Fatigue is a constant symptom.

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*Every dose of Galloway's Cough Syrup is a sure cure to speed recovery, but see that it is "Galloway's."*

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# Fashions from Paris

## CURIOUS SLEEVES AND DEEP LACE YOKES.

BIT by bit, almost imperceptibly, Paris is slipping on her new spring suit, and looking so fresh and dainty in it. Somehow, it seems a pity that the important February dress "opening" are looking so meekly. And these demure and dainty toilettes will be cast ruthlessly aside, and their owners will enter upon a feverish search for and exploitation of something new, sensational and novel.

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### CHANGED VIEWS.

There are times when I fancy Paris in the between seasons is to be preferred to Paris in mid-season, and then I take my inquisitive eye to the "opening". The waiting row of well-groomed limousines puts my little bumpy red taxi to shame; the rich, warm perfume of the Riviera blossoms in their laquer and porcelain boxes makes one forget the breeze so lately enjoyed in the Bois; while from the depths—of the violet and orange ottoman, as the mannequins sway and dance in front (they are getting livelier and more human every year), you forget altogether the simple suits of the boiled-unders and realize that chin comes before the sweetest sobriety and perfect line counts for more than loveliness. So are we affected by our immediate surroundings.

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### ADVANCE PEEP.

But I must admit to seeing nothing in the least sensational at my first brief peep behind the Paris dress scenes. A broad-mindedness, a wear—this—if it suits you—but—if you don't like it—try something else atmosphere envelops both mannequin and model.



There is a room for leaf trimming just now, and there decorative frocks, hats and wraps made of tinted chiffon.

THUS even longer house you see skirts that are about in for the past few months, and at another of equal renown they are very considerably shorter. But there is every indication that the fashionable figure is going to be plumper—and whether you like this news or not won't alter matters.

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### REVEALING FROCKS.

Paris is still faithful to the black velvet frock, and it is cut such a fashion that not only the waist is bare, the whole under-arm is left bare. Sometimes a loose cape made of beads accompanies the frock. It is caught at the low waist-line into a deep belt headed on to the stuff. A border of the same beading outlines the neck and the deep armholes, as well as the skirt hem.

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### BEADED LACE.

Nearly all the velvet frocks are made on picturequesque lines, with full skirt and long bodice, while old rose and cream are the most favoured. Dull gold lace, studded with tiny coloured stones, is used a good deal, generally in the form of shaped yokes on both bodice and skirt.

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### QUAINT EFFECT.

Curious sleeves are still the vogue. On a seemingly simple frock of blue serge, generously adorned with white Chinese embroidery, appear twin gauntlets upon the long, tightly moulded sleeves. They are made of stiff white embroidery, and one springs out of the other.

PHILLIDA.

1,836,568

Daily Mail

NET SALES

London,  
20th January, 1923.

We certify that the average *net daily sale* of "The Daily Mail" after deducting all unsold or free copies whatsoever for the periods set out below was as follows:-

For the month ended

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| 31st January   | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1,532,709 |
| 28th February  | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1,620,277 |
| 31st March     | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1,669,414 |
| 30th April     | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1,702,694 |
| 31st May       | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1,755,498 |
| 30th June      | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1,817,947 |
| 31st July      | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1,867,797 |
| 31st August    | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1,910,117 |
| 30th September | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1,907,335 |
| 31st October   | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1,907,955 |
| 30th November  | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1,869,250 |
| 31st December  | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1,836,568 |

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## Alkali In Shampoos Bad For Washing Hair

Many soaps, prepared shampoos and shampoo powders, contain too much alkali, which is very injurious, as it dries the scalp and makes the hair brittle.

The best thing to use is Mulsified coconut oil shampoo, for this is pure and entirely greaseless. It is inexpensive and beats anything else all to pieces. You can get Mulsified from any chemist and a few ounces will last the whole family for months.

Two or three teaspoonsful of Mulsified in a cup with a little tepid water is all that is required. Simply moisten the hair with water and rub the Mulsified in. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, cleanses thoroughly, and rinses out easily. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and is soft, fresh looking, bright fluffy, wavy, and easy to handle. Besides, it loosens and takes out every particle of dust, dirt and dandruff. Be sure your chemist gives you Mulsified. Beware of imitations—look for the name Watkins on the package.—(Advt.)

## HUNGRY—YET AFRAID TO EAT!

Such is the plight of thousands. They dread mealtimes, for they know that suffering will follow; they know that, diet as they will, digestive disorder is remorseless, and it has them in its grip. The pity of it is that such suffering is quite unnecessary, as any doctor can tell you. A little Bisurated Magnesia, taken in water (or a couple of the tablets swallowed) will instantly neutralise the harmful acid which gives rise to the trouble, and thus prevent all possibility of discomfort. You'll suffer no more from stomach troubles if you go to the nearest chemist, get a 1s. 3d. package of this sure cure, and take as directed. Remember, a dose of Bisurated Magnesia will stop the worst attack of stomach pain *instantly*, and you're only to take the preparation for a very little while to feel a different person altogether—healthier, happier and brighter.—(Advt.)

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# SURPRISE WITHDRAWALS FROM THE LINCOLNSHIRE

**Both the King's Horses Taken Out.**

**MR. JOEL'S BOMB.**

**Splendid Acceptance for the Grand National.**

Considerable surprise was evinced yesterday when it was found that Mr. S. B. Joel had withdrawn his horses, Pondonland, Evander and Set Off, his whole fleet, from the Lincoln Handicap. The King also took out his two candidates, Weathervane and Picardy. The Grand National received a splendid acceptance, all the top-weights standing their ground. Features of the day's sport were:

**Racing.**—The favourite for the Grand National finished third in the Mole Steeple-chase at Sandown Park. The race ended in a dead-heat between Bergate and Catamaran. **Cricket**.—England declared against Northern Districts in South Africa yesterday, and MacLaren's team gained an innings' victory in New Zealand.

## LINCOLN AND NATIONAL.

**Neither of the King's Horses Accept the First Big Flat Race.**

The eagerly-looked-for spring handicap acceptances are at last with us. Items of news about the Lincolnshire and National have been rather scarce of late, but now we are in possession of the "contents" there is plenty of material to deal with.

Early speculators will doubtless be interested in the Lincolnshire, and a cursory glance at the

### SELECTIONS FOR SANDOWN.

1.50—SEA VOYAGE If 3.0—SILVO  
also PERICO 3.50—HIGH FORCE

2.0—HAPPY JACK II 4.0—WHAT LUCK

2.50—WATERFORD 5.0—

### DOUBLE EVENT FOR TO-DAY.

\*SILVO and WHAT LUCK.

acceptances shows that the general fancies are there, and so few people will be disappointed. When the entries came to hand one was pleased to note that the King was responsible for Weathervane and Picardy. They have both appeared.

Roman Bachelor remains, but Poison Arrow, Night Patrol and Black Gown all stand down. Mr. Joel has cried "Nothing doing" with Pondonland, Evander and Set Off, the property can be represented by Southampton, Eureka and Halston.

Couthwaite can saddle Conjuror II, Zenon or The Drifter, and Poole has a strong hand with Manby Gate, Shaun Spadah, Square Dance and Trentino. Arravale and Mask Man stand their ground, and the former was seen out at Sandown yesterday.

Arravale's first appearance over the sticks since his last effort in the Grand National last season proved an irresistible attraction at Sandown yesterday. Unrest before the weights or even the entries were known for this year's big race he has been a firm favourite for Liverpool next March, and in many parts it has been difficult to get more than 3 to 1 about his chance.

### ARRAVALE'S DEFEAT.

Another interesting entry was Manby Gate, who has been whispered as likely to prove a second Shaun Spadah for G. Poole. Heavily bandaged on all four legs he was walking round in the paddock, but once again he was not saddled. Naturally Arravale was a good favourite, and although beaten by Bergate and Catamaran the Grand National chance is every bit as good as it was before the race.

Like Taftypus, Arravale jumped splendidly throughout, his "legs" at the water especially being a beautiful effort. Between the last fences he gave promise of oureaving the leaders, and he was not unduly pressed when Mr. Whitaker found that the others had his measure.

Another attraction, an automatic favourite for the race, is Abel Hough on his Kempton form, met the fate that all too often awaits these handicap good things. Last year Hough made nearly all the running on the Essex gallop. Yesterday he was content with a place in the rear for most of the journey. Bounding the bend he soon had the ungnerous Royal Highness beaten, but Fairay went much too fast for him and won with really ridiculous ease. Black Gown was fourth.

Foreward, in reserve for the big steeple-chase at Manchester on Saturday, does not seem to have got off the mark. Van der Veer, the Dutch champion, meet the Velodrome d'River, Paris, on Saturday. The international boxing contest decided to postpone the contest for the European heavy-weight championship, says Reuter.



J. D. Tyldesley, the Lancashire county cricketer, who died yesterday at Bolton.



Clem Stephenson, the only player of to-day who possesses three English Cup medals.

## WELSH RUGBY SENSATION.

**Two Famous Players Forsake the Amateur Game for the North.**

Northern Union agents have for some time been busy in South Wales, and a great sensation was created yesterday when it was announced that Jos Thomson and Tom Parker had signed for Leeds and Wigton respectively.

Both men, Ross Keys forward, played against England at Twickenham on January 20 and was selected against Scotland at Cardiff on Saturday. His place in the latest match will probably be taken by Tom Davies.

Parker, the centre three-quarter of Aberavon, was reserve for the Welsh fifteen in the last international match against England and had also been chosen as reserve for the match with Scotland.

## DEMOCRATIC RUGBY.

**Trades and Professions of the Welsh International Side.**

An erroneous impression prevails in some quarters that the majority of the Welsh Rugby international players are coalminers.

This is the team selected to play Scotland at Cardiff on Saturday and the occupations they follow:

Joe Rees, attendance officer; R. A. Cornish, school teacher; Albert C. Jenkins, coal trimmer; T. Williams, ironmonger; J. Edwards, articled to a solicitor; W. Delahay, carpenter; J. C. Lewis, Cardiff dockman; T. Parker, tin worker; T. Roberts, policeman; D. G. Davies, carpenter; G. Morris, grocer; A. Baker, miner, and S. Morris, miner.

Thomson, whose sensational conversion to the Northern Union in spite of his selection for the Scottish game created such a surprise yesterday, is a miner.

## SPRING ACCEPTANCES.

**Top Weights for Lincolnshire and National Remain In.**

Acceptances for the Lincolnshire and National were issued yesterday. Roman Bachelor has accepted for the Lincoln, and there is a very fine list of "contents" for the Aintree race. Acceptances are ap-

pealed.

**LINCOLNSHIRE HANDICAP.**  
Run Lincoln, Wednesday, March 21. 1m.  
Rosen Flory 9 0 1 Clochabean ... 7 10 Lord of B'ley 7 4  
Saldene 8 7 1 Aspects ... 7 9 Scammon 7 4  
Procsnow 8 7 1 ... 7 9 Scammon 7 4  
Monarch ... 8 6 Varzy ... 7 9 Tregenwell 6 12  
Grenadier ... 8 6 ... 7 9 King Pippin 6 10  
Arravale ... 8 6 ... 7 9 King Pippin 6 10  
Draff's Drin ... 8 6 ... 7 9 King Pippin 6 10  
Royal Alarm ... 8 4 Precious ... 7 8 Werwulf ... 6 9  
Cribbenham ... 8 2 George Drake ... 7 8 White Bud ... 6 9  
Cribbenham ... 8 2 Tomahawk ... 7 8 You ... 6 9  
Psychology ... 8 2 ... 7 9 ... 6 9 ...  
Dry Toast ... 7 12 Aclare ... 7 4 Miss Junior ... 6 5  
Zenon ... 7 12 ... 7 4 Widow Bird ... 6 2  
Manby Gate ... 7 12 ... 7 4 ... 6 2  
Express Dr'v 7 11 Blackland ... 7 4 Toms of May 6 6  
... ... ... 7 4 ... 6 2 Name Snugger 6 6

**GRAND NATIONAL STEEPECHASE.**

Run Liverpool, Friday, March 23. About 4m.  
Turkev 8 7 1 St. Ives ... 7 3 Sandowntown 10 4  
Old Tay B'v 3 2 Francis B'v 11 1 Oak Black 10 4  
St. Ives ... 12 0 Punt Gun 10 4 Furk II 10 4  
Arravale ... 12 0 ... 11 1 ... 10 4 ...  
Vic ... 11 1 ... 11 1 ... 10 4 ...  
Halston ... 11 1 ... 11 1 ... 10 4 ...  
Zenon ... 11 1 ... 11 1 ... 10 4 ...  
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Trentino ... 11 7 ... 10 4 ... 10 4 ...  
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**JUBILEE HANDICAP.**

Run at Kempton, Saturday, May 12, 1pm.  
Franklin ... 9 0 ... 8 1 ... 7 1 ...  
Blandford ... 8 12 ... 8 0 ... 7 8 ...  
Sombrerique ... 8 12 ... 8 0 ... 7 8 ...  
Simon Pure ... 8 6 ... 7 6 ... 7 7 ...  
Preston ... 8 5 ... 7 6 ... 7 7 ...  
Louis ... 8 5 ... 7 6 ... 7 7 ...  
Monarch ... 8 5 ... 7 6 ... 7 7 ...  
Express Dr'v ... 8 5 ... 7 6 ... 7 7 ...  
Royal Alarm ... 8 4 ... 7 5 ... 7 6 ...  
Grandy ... 7 12 ... 7 2 ... 7 3 ...  
Ceyloness ... 7 12 ... 7 2 ... 7 3 ...  
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Dry Toast ... 8 2 ... 7 2 ... 7 3 ...  
Dick P'p II ... 7 9 ... 7 3 ...  
Sea of Glory ... 7 1 ... 7 3 ...  
Eaglehawk ... 8 2 ... 7 3 ...  
Diligence ... 8 2 ... 7 3 ...  
Zariba ... 8 2 ... 7 3 ...

**KENNY V. MCCORMICK.**

Wild Bull Kenny, who takes the place of Arthur Towleyn in his fight with Boy McCormick at the White City, Manchester, to-morrow, has a good American record. He beat Frank Morris, John Jeannette and Battling Levinsky (best of four matches) and has drawn with Tom Gibbons.

**NOT FOR HEAVY-WEIGHT TITLE**

Marcel Nilles, the French heavy-weight champion, and Van der Veer, the Dutch champion, meet at the Velodrome d'River, Paris, on Saturday.

The international boxing contest decided to postpone the contest for the European heavy-weight championship, says Reuter.

## F. T. MANN HITS OUT.

**England's Captain in Fine Form Against Northern Districts.**

One over yesterday morning sufficed to finish off the Northern Districts' first innings against England at Newcastle, Natal.

Gilligan opened the bowlers on a good wicket and before long he had scored 100 before being out leg before wicket. Ellison added two before going out leg before to the same bowler, the innings closing for 137. Gilligan's analysis was five wickets for 34 runs, says

England opened their innings with Sandham and Russell, and the score was taken to 28 before the Surrey player was out leg before to Radford for 11. With W. H. Russel was out, 26 to 26 a good catch by Turnbull. Inward was 100 before being out leg before wicket. The second wicket fell at 70 and Woolley then joined Mead. The Hants man got in front of a straight delivery from Gilligan and was out. Woolley and Carr together runs came more quickly. Woolley reached 50 before being stumped, and V. W. C. Jupp contributed

25. Mann was in excellent form, and he hit 79 in characteristic fashion before being clean bowled.

Leahem Street tacked on 28, and the tourists' total stood at 284 for eight wickets when the innings was declared closed.

**EASY WIN IN NEW ZEALAND.**

**Innings Victory for MacLaren's XI. Tourists' Splendid Bowling.**

MacLaren's team gained another easy victory in New Zealand yesterday, when they defeated a team representing the Minor Associations of Nelson, at Nelson, by an innings and 75 runs.

Playing in the heat of the day, the tourists with the total of 292 for seven wickets, the tourists were all out for 249, A. P. F. Chapman contributing 71 not out.

The local team fared worse in their second venture, the innings closing for 55. Freeman took six wickets for 27 and the hon. D. F. Brand three for 5.

Final scores: Nelson, 119 and 55; M.C.C., 249.

**NOTED CRICKETER'S DEATH.**

**J. D. Tyldesley Dies Suddenly in a Bolton Nursing Home.**

The death took place suddenly in a Bolton nursing home yesterday of James Darbyshire Tyldesley, one of the numerous family of that name taking part in Lancashire county cricket. He was thirty-two years ago.

Last summer and the season before he took seventy-six wickets in county games and also proved himself a fine forcing batsman.

In the match with Surrey at Manchester last August he took the rescue of his side, who had lost three wickets for 17 runs, and bowled a faultless 112.

He was also his county's fastest bowler except when Parkin was, under instructions, bowling at his greatest pace. He was not, however, so successful as a forcing batsman, and his sixes which cost him over 28 runs apiece.

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## CUP OPTIMISM.

**Blackpool Strongly Favoured as Football Training Centre.**

## GREAT YORKSHIRE DUEL.

The complete list of ties to be played on Saturday in the second round of the English Cup competition is as follows:

Middlesex v. Sheffield U. ... Chelsea v. Southampton.

Bury v. Stoke. ... S. Shields v. Birmingham.

S. Shields v. Birmingham. ... W. Bromwich v. Sunderland.

Bury v. Stoke. ... W. Bromwich v. Sunderland.



"Thrills" in an Attic: See Page 11



The children will love the pets!

## CROSS-PETITIONS FOR DIVORCE



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Mrs. Olive May Dodgson (left) leaving Divorce Court yesterday, where she alleged misconduct by her husband, Mr. E. Dodgson (right inset), with Miss Ethel M. Lovegrove, who intervened. Mr. Dodgson alleges misconduct by his wife with Mr. Wallace Kyle Henney (left inset). All parties deny the charges.



Mr. J. D. Kiley after his nomination as Liberal candidate at Whitechapel yesterday.



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Mr. Holden (left), Prohibitionist, holds in his paper.

**PROHIBITIONIST NOMINATED.**—Whitechapel's Prohibition candidate was formally nominated yesterday, when Labour put forward Mr. H. Gosling as a third candidate.

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## FARM WAGON AS PEER'S FUNERAL CAR



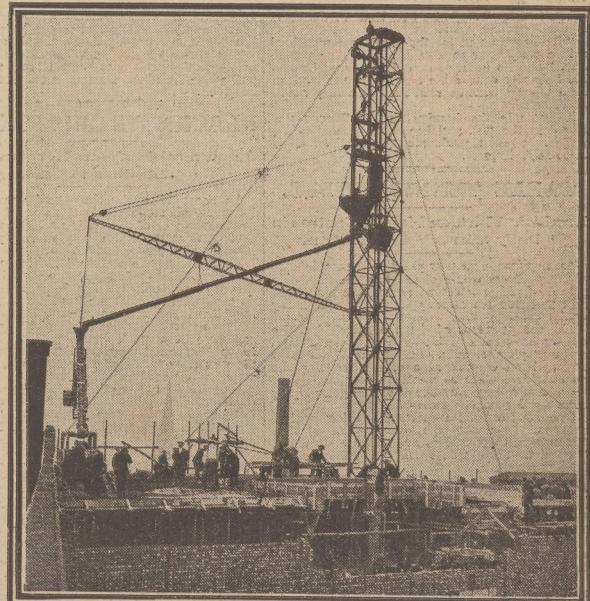
A farm wagon drawn by six farm horses and bearing the coffin of the late Lord Northbourne about to leave his residence, Bettleshanger, for the lying-in-state in the church. The funeral took place yesterday.



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J. Thomson of Cross Keys, the Welsh international Rugby forward. He is now well advanced in years and is now a coach at the Leeds Northern Union Club.



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E. G. Turner, aged thirteen, (right), with his father and brother aged eighteen, (left), was found dead of coal-gas poisoning at Islington.



This tower, now in use at Lambeth, raises concrete from the ground and deposits it by a chute, movable as needed, for the construction of a flat roof of great durability. The concrete flows to the chute down channel seen on left.



Workmen spreading the concrete as it leaves the chute attached to the tower.  
**TO LAST 3,000 YEARS.**—This apparatus, an important building innovation, is equally suitable for the building of strong floors. Buildings so constructed, it is believed, will last 3,000 years.—(Daily Mirror photographs.)